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PASS TO KOBELINSKI AND BIERMAN

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SUBJECT: VISIT OF EXIMBANK OFFICIALS KOBELINSKI AND BIERMAN
TO KINSHASA

1. DURING TWO DAY VISPG (JANUARY 17 AND 18), EXIM-BANK OFFICIALS MET SEPARATELY WITH 14 INDIVIDUALS OR GROUPS OF PERSONS. TALKS WERE PRODUCTIVE AND PROVIDED EXIMBANK OFFICIALS WITH INSIGHT AND INFORMATION INTO MANY FACETS OF ZAIRIAN ECONOMY IN WHICH EXIMBANK OFFICIAL DEMONSTRATED INTEREST.

2. CFF DISCUSSED IN DETAIL WITH ACTING STATE COMMISSIONER FOR FINANCE, DIRECTOR GENERAL SOFIDE, COUNSELOR AT PRESIDENCY, AND PRIVATE US BANKERS. FINANCE COMMISSIONER WAS PARTICULARLY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT THE CFF, AS WERE THE OTHERS, AND PROMISED AFTER DISCUSSIONS WITH THE BUREAU OF THE PRESIDENCY, TO RELEASE A REPORT ON CFF TO THE PRESS.

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3. IN DISCUSSING POSSIBLE EFFECTS ZAIRIANIZATION
ON INGA-SHABA PROJECT, COUNSELOR PEMBELE, BUREAU OF
THNAWR.(#)
EMBASSY LIST OF FS INVOLVED
IN THE PROJECT. PEMBELE ADMITTED THAT
ZAIRIANIZATION IN GENERAL WOULD AFFECT ADVERSELY
COUNTRY'S COMMERCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE AND EXPRESSED
*ESIRE TO TAKE ADVANCE ACTION TO FACILITATE CON-
STRUCTION IN EVERY POSSIBLE WAY SINCE INGA-SHABA
REGARDED AS GOZ TOP PRIORITY PROJECT.

4. KOBELINSKI, IN EXPRESSING CONCERN OVER POSSIBLE
DISRUPTION SUPPLIES PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM
PRODUCTS TO INGA-SHABA PROJECT RESULTING FROM GOZ
TAKEOVER PETROLEUM MARKETING AND DISTRIBUTION
COMPANIES, WAS ASSURED BY NZEZAR DIRECTOR OF SNEL,
THAT STEPS WERE BEING TAKEN TO PROVIDE AMPLE
SUPPLIES SUCH PRODUCTS ON CONTINUING BASIS.
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